

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JANE ROE, INDIVIDUALLY, and JANE  
DOE, INDIVIDUALLY,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CVS HEALTH CORPORATION, CVS  
PHARMACY INC.,

Defendants.

Case No.: 3:22-cv-01776-W-WVG

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS'  
EX PARTE APPLICATION TO  
PROCEED UNDER PSEUDONYM  
AND TO SEAL PERSONALLY  
IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

Pending before the Court is Plaintiffs Jane Doe and Jane Roe's Ex Parte Application to Proceed Under Pseudonym and to Seal Personally Identifying Information ("Application") [Doc. 3]. Plaintiffs filed the Application on December 2, 2022. Defendants have not filed an opposition to the Application as of the date of this order. Chambers Rule 5.a states that "[e]x parte applications that are not opposed within two Court days will be considered unopposed and may be granted on that ground."<sup>1</sup>

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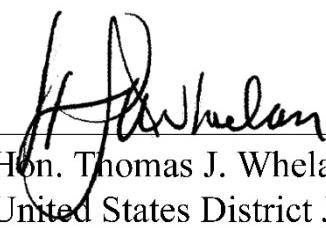
<sup>1</sup> See also Local Rule 7.1.f.3 (b) states that an opposition must contain a "brief and complete statement of all reasons in opposition to the position taken by the movant" and subdivision (c) states that "...failure may constitute a consent to the granting of a motion."

1 Accordingly, the Court **GRANTS** the Application [Doc. 3] and **ORDERS** as  
2 follows:

- 3 1. Plaintiffs may proceed under pseudonym;  
4 2. Plaintiffs may file a redacted version of the complaint that protects any social  
5 security numbers, addresses, and personal health information;<sup>2</sup>  
6 3. Plaintiffs must file an unredacted complaint under seal. The Clerk of the Court  
7 shall seal Plaintiffs' unredacted in its entirety.

8 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

9 Dated: December 7, 2022

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11 Hon. Thomas J. Whelan  
12 United States District Judge

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28 <sup>2</sup> If Plaintiffs want a broader and/or continuing protection of this information, they are advised to seek a  
protective order from the magistrate judge assigned to this case.